

## SHAKEUP PROBABLE WITH THE SQUADRON

Sensational Naturalization Disclosures in Police Force.

PROSECUTIONS ARE PROMISED

New York Police Force Will Be Investigated and All the Unnaturalized Members Will Be Ousted and Prosecuted.

NEW YORK, June 28.—An investigation is now being made into the naturalization of all naturalized members of the New York police force. Any whose papers are fraudulent will not only be dismissed, it is understood, but will be prosecuted by the United States authorities.

The investigation is expected to result in a sensational shakeup in the police department, as the naturalized men on the force constitute 88 per cent of it. Some frauds already have been discovered.

The investigation was begun three weeks ago when police Commissioner Bingham wrote to United States District Attorney Henry A. Stimson asking that the Federal authorities help out him in seeing that the naturalization papers presented by the foreign born applicants for jobs on the force are all right and according to law.

It is said that irregularities in the other departments led the commissioner to make the request.

## GERMAN TARIFF EMBARRASSING.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The German tariff situation is extremely embarrassing to the state department, and there is little hope that Congress will pass legislation which will relieve the state department and make it possible for Secretary Root to live up to the inducements that are held out to Germany which resulted in the temporary extension to this country by Germany of its minimum tariff rates pending a readjustment of the customs regulations.

Since Germany extended its minimum rates to the United States there have been repeated efforts by the state department to obtain the much desired customs changes. Secretary Shaw agreed to these changes and they were laid before Congress, but the bill underwent modifications and in the form it was reported to the House did not make good the promises of the state department.

## SENDS FORMAL RESIGNATION.

NEW YORK, June 28.—Captain Robert F. Wynne, of the United States Marine Corps, sent his formal resignation from the service to Brigadier General George F. Elliot, commandant of the Marine Corps, yesterday, to be forwarded to the President.

A delegation of Marines in the Navy Yard and on board the ships there, waited on Captain Wynne yesterday with a "Round Robin," which was to be signed by every member of the North Atlantic fleet that could be reached, begging the President not to dismiss the Captain or accept his resignation.

"How much fame did he attain in his palmy days?"

"One cigar, one brand of soap and one of liquor."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Astoria Affiliates With Uncle Sam's Mariners.

PAUL JONES TO SANTA CRUZ

Tiverton Clears For San Francisco—Men of Chehalis Paid Off—Alliance Fires Her Union Crew—Gerald C. Arrives—Della Hung Up.

Uncle Sam's ships and men have gone. They departed yesterday afternoon, from their anchorages off the city, at 4:15 o'clock and passed to sea on the evening flood, bound for Tacoma, where they will be objects of interest on the 'glorious Fourth.' It is said there were a half-dozen desertions from the squadron while in this port, and from all appearances, no particular attention was paid to the deserters, as no effort was put forth to get them on board. The men were ashore in great numbers and made the most of their over-night liberty, but were for the most part, orderly and well-behaved.

Yesterday morning Mayor Wise and a number of the councilmen, together with a committee named by the Irving Club in that behalf, went on board the flagship and extended the usual courtesies to Rear Admiral C. E. Goodrich and his staff, and were treated very handsomely in return. During the afternoon Admiral Goodrich was an honored guest at the Irving Club and this concluded the amenities of the day.

The ships were thrown open to the Astoria public about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, and until 3:30 in the afternoon there was a constant stream of citizens plying back and forth between the docks and the five vessels of the fleet.

Promptly at 4 o'clock p. m., the sea-going movement began and in fifteen minutes the Chicago made a stately lead down the bay, with Captain Archie Cann of the bar pilot service on her bridge, and the channel trail was quickly taken up by the other vessels, in the following order: The Paul Jones, Princeton, Preble and Boston, and in another half hour they were lost to view to watching Astorians.

The oil tankers Fullerton and Monterey, on the hawsers of the sea tug Dauntless and Sea Foam, left out for San Francisco.

The men who sailed the barkentine Chehalis home from Honolulu, and which is now berthed at Knappton loading for San Francisco, were paid off at the custom house yesterday.

The steamer Tiverton, having loaded half a million feet of lumber at the Tongue Point mills, for San Francisco, cleared yesterday.

After receiving their pay checks for the past month's service the union crew of the steamer Alliance walked ashore at Portland and before evening was far advanced most of the strikers' places had been filled by non-union men. The walkout on the part of the Alliance's crew had been anticipated by Captain Kelly and Agent F. P. Baumgartner, and the men were given the option of remaining on the ship at the old scale of \$45 a month, but they chose to adhere to the wishes of their union and the vessel left there with a crew of strikebreakers and will reach here this morning.



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The vessel's crew, most of whom have been on the ship from two to five years, were loath to leave the steamer, for they had formed such an attachment for the ship that it was a hard blow to them when their union insisted on their obedience to the orders from headquarters at San Francisco.

Clifford Hickman, first quartermaster on the Paul Jones, is a cousin of Charles Haddix, of this city, and the two were chumming all of yesterday. There were three other Texans on board the Jones, and those five threatened to take Astoria and were only dissuaded by the sailing of the fleet.

The "pup" of the Astoria merchantile fleet, otherwise the motor schooner Della is again on the dry dock at Leathers' yard having some repairs made on her stern-bearings.

The motor schooner Gerald C. arrived yesterday morning from Siletz and will load out for Alsea, and sail tomorrow if the weather permits.

The steamer Aurelia arrived in from San Francisco at 6 o'clock last evening, manned by a Japanese crew. She went on to Portland at once.

The steamer Alliance is due down from Portland at 5 o'clock this morning, on her way to Eureka, and will not tarry here long.

It has been just discovered that the Paul Jones goes hence to Santa Cruz, Cal., instead of Tacoma with the rest of the squadron.

The steamer F. A. Kilburn is due from San Francisco this morning.

## SAILORS' STRIKE TO BE LONG DRAWN OUT

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—By action of the ship owners today all hope of a speedy settlement of the strike on the water front has vanished. The efforts of Mayor Schmitz to bring about a settlement by requesting both sides to the controversy to arbitrate their differences, have failed and the strike promises to be long drawn out. After considering the Mayor's communication nearly a week, the executive committee of the United Transportation and Shipping Association today replied to the Mayor, refusing to arbitrate on the ground that the seamen here are receiving the highest wages of any men in their line in the world and therefore there is nothing to arbitrate.

## SEVERE ELECTRIC STORM IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, June 28.—Weather conditions that culminated in a severe electrical storm here yesterday were responsible for two deaths and injury to others. The storm temporarily broke a hot spell which threatened to be the most severe of the present season. One victim of the storm was killed by a bolt of lightning, while another fell into the lake, the result of being overcome by the extreme heat. The storm also did considerable damage in the city and country.

## LAST WITHDRAWAL MADE.

HARBIN, June 28.—The last considerable portion of the Russian army has departed for Russia. A small force and the frontier guards remain. No further withdrawals before May next are probable.

## YESTERDAY'S DOCKET IN CIRCUIT COURT

LARGE NUMBER OF DIVORCE CASES BEFORE THAT TRIBUNAL. RECEIVED ATTENTION THIS WEEK

There is quite a heavy percentage of divorce cases in the present docket of the Clatsop county circuit court, and five of them were before Judge McBride yesterday, and were disposed of as follows:

In the matter of Nellie Parker vs. E. P. Parker, it was presumed the issue of the custody of the two minor children would be submitted to the court yesterday, but the attorneys for both parties notified Judge McBride that if he would grant them an hour for conference it was deemed possible they might reach a conclusion as of themselves; this favor the judge granted, with the friendly intimation that "at the end of the hour he hoped the dove of peace would settle upon the court house," and the dove hovered close if it did not alight, for at the appointed time, counsel for the parties informed the court that they had reached the following conclusion and asked the consent of the court to carry it out: "That the two children of the parties, plaintiff and defendant, Freeman F. and Eben P. Parker, should be placed in some good school to be selected by the defendant, with the approval of the court; that their maintenance there should be borne by the defendant; that while there, the parents, at will, might visit them at such times as were expedient;" and to this arrangement the court lent his sanction, and so the matter stands for the present. It may be mentioned, in passing, that the younger child is to be kept at this school for a period of three years, and the elder, for two years.

In the case of Edith P. Zopf vs. Joseph E. Zopf, for divorce, a decree was granted as prayed for.

In the matter of the divorce proceedings instituted by A. B. Jamison against J. N. Jamison, a decree was handed down as sought.

Another decree of divorce was granted to Mabel E. Turner in her suit against William Turner, and so recorded.

Another record of the same sort was made in the matter of Edna Melsaue vs. Colin Melsaue, and was so entered.

The taking of the testimony in the case of Robitich et al vs. the Nehalem Coal Company, was still on, before Referee Runyon yesterday afternoon.

Court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

## STEVENS LEADS IN RACE FOR SHERIFF

PORTLAND, June 28.—At 6 o'clock this evening, Stevens led in the recount by five votes. Howell, the voter whose name had been written on his ballot, came to the courtroom and swore that the writing was not his, and the ballot was counted for Word. This lost one vote for Stevens, but in the recount of the vote in Precinct 71 Stevens gained two, making his lead five.

## RED CROSS FRAUDS.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 28.—Accused of selling large quantities of blankets and appropriating the money, John Clark, superintendent of the Red Cross relief station No. 1, and George Bryant, engineer at the children's play grounds, were arrested today. The police state they learned of the alleged peculations through a junk dealer, to whom the men wished to sell the blankets. A ruse was planned and it is alleged Clark and Bryant fell into the trap laid

## INVESTIGATE ACTION OF ST. LOUIS BOARD

IN THE ST. LOUIS STATUTE CONTROVERSY BOARD OF DIRECTORS DISREGARD WISHES OF NIEHAUS

NEW YORK, June 28.—The National Sculpture Society has appointed a committee to investigate the action of the board of directors of the World's Fair of St. Louis, in making permanent the model of the statue of St. Louis, by Charles H. Niehaus, the New York sculptor, without, it is alleged, Mr. Niehaus' consent.

It was reported some time ago that the directors proposed to punish Mr. Niehaus for asking extra payment for the statue of St. Louis, by omitting his name from the statue. Captain W. R. Hodges, who will erect the statue, was quoted as saying that when President Francis told Mr. Niehaus that his statue was to be permanent in Forest Park, the sculptor replied that he must have extra payment. When President Francis wrote to Mr. Niehaus to come to St. Louis in order that a compromise might be effected, the offer was rejected. It is said that the committee will be ready to report at the next meeting of the society.

## CUBAN RAILROAD SUBSIDY BILL.

HAVANA, June 28.—The Cuban Senate last night passed the House Van Horn railroad subsidy bill, appropriating \$6000 per kilometre for the construction of twelve branch railroad lines which will be feeders for the Van Horn system.

## LIMB RAW AS PIECE OF BEEF

Suffered For Three Years With Itching Humor—Doctor Did No Good—Cruiser Newark, U. S. N. Man Cured in Three Weeks.

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